GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:552
ANSWERED ON:04.05.2000
ENCROACHMENT OF RAILWAY LAND
M.V.CHANDRASHEKHARA MURTHY;SHYAMA SINGH

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether large parts of Railway land in and around the capital are under encroachment;

(b) if so, the details of Railway land illegally encroached by unauthorised persons / firms;

(c) whether the Government have taken any steps to get back the land from such unauthorised encroachers; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (KUMARI MAMATA BANERJEE)

(a) to (d): A statement is laid on the Table of the Sabha..

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO.552 BY SHRIMATI SHYAMA SINGH AND SHRI M.V. CHANDRASHEKHARA MURTHY ON 04.05.2000 REGARDING ENCROACHMENT OF RAILWAY LAND

(a) and (b): Yes, sir. About 425 Hectares of Railway land is under encroachments in Delhi area.

(c) and (d): Removal of encroachments from Railway land is a continuous process, which is undertaken as per extant rules with the help of the State Government. As a result of these efforts, about 4000 encroachments have been removed from different locations in Delhi area during the last 3 years .